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To: Subst. Senate Bill No. 655

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"AN ACT CONCERNING TECHNICAL AND CONFORMING CHANGES TO GRANT PROGRAMS ADMINISTERED BY THE OFFICE OF POLICY AND MANAGEMENT, THE PROCESS FOR TOWNS TO SET A MILL RATE PRIOR TO ADOPTION OF A BUDGET, AND THE PROPERTY TAX EXEMPTION FOR OPEN SPACE LAND."

1 After the last section, add the following and renumber sections and
2 internal references accordingly:

3 "Sec. 501. Subparagraph (C) of subdivision (6) of subsection (c) of
4 section 7-148 of the 2008 supplement to the general statutes is repealed
5 and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):

6 (C) (i) Lay out, construct, reconstruct, alter, maintain, repair, control,
7 operate, and assign numbers to streets, alleys, highways, boulevards,
8 bridges, underpasses, sidewalks, curbs, gutters, public walks and
9 parkways;

10 (ii) Keep open and safe for public use and travel and free from

11 encroachment or obstruction the streets, sidewalks and public places in
12 the municipality and remove or cause to be removed from the right of
13 way of a highway or street any commercial sign that does not comply
14 with the rules, regulations or ordinances of the municipality;

15 (iii) Control the excavation of highways and streets;

16 (iv) Regulate and prohibit the excavation, altering or opening of
17 sidewalks, public places and grounds for public and private purposes
18 and the location of any work or things thereon, whether temporary or
19 permanent, upon or under the surface thereof;

20 (v) Require owners or occupants of land adjacent to any sidewalk or
21 public work to remove snow, ice, sleet, debris or any other obstruction
22 therefrom, provide penalties upon their failure to do so, and cause
23 such snow, ice, sleet, debris or other obstruction to be removed and
24 make the cost of such removal a lien on such property;

25 (vi) Grant to abutting property owners a limited property or
26 leasehold interest in abutting streets and sidewalks for the purpose of
27 encouraging and supporting private commercial development."